

## HOUGHTON MIFFLIN COMPANY

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May 24, 1946.

Mr. A. W. Dulles, Sullivan & Cromwell, 48 Wall Street, New York 5, New York.

Dear Mr. Dulles:

letter:

MULIER BOSTON

Thank you for your letter of May 22.

We are willing to incorporate in the Gisevius contract most of the points you bring up. Since the matter of British Empire rights is still in question, we shall leave them out of the contract. However, if Fretz & Wasmuth decide that they wish us to handle them (thus enabling the English publisher to share in our translation) we can add a supplement to the contract later, appointing Houghton Mifflin Company agents for these rights.

Taking up the points beginning on page 2 of your

- (a) agree to correction.
- (b) This would presumably be understood when rights are limited to United States and Canada, but we will make the addition so that there may be no misunderstanding.
  - (c) agree to correction.
  - (d) " " "
- (e) As I understand it, United States copyright is protected in certain countries such as the Argentine even though we are not members of the Berne Convention.

We will modify Clause 4 (a) by adding the words "to Canada," and omit Clause 7 (b).